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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the **Townsman**, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the **Townsman**.

Mrs. Miller has engaged a room in Draper's block.

St. Augustine's church is arranging for a fair to be held this fall.

Robert Lindsay of this place, has been granted an original pension of \$8.

Joseph M. Bradley, formerly of Andover, has gone to Europe for an outing.

Miss Lucy Mason of Valpey Bros. market is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Andover people attended the County Grange picnic at Salisbury beach, yesterday.

J. Lyman Belknap has received a medical certificate from the State board of medicine.

Fred Bradley, son of Joseph Bradley of Dorchester, formerly of Andover, was in town this week.

Elsewhere in today's paper will be found the town warrant calling for a special town meeting.

Harry Noyes and Charles Riddock of the Tyer Rubber Company's office, are enjoying their vacation.

There will be a special meeting of the Andover Cricket club at Abbott Village hall, next Tuesday evening.

George Kydd, who has been working at the Rubber shop, has accepted a position at the Charlestown navy yard.

William O'Connell has left the employment of the Tyer Rubber company and will be employed in the Metallic works, Boston.

Several members of the Lawrence Canoe club from Andover attended the field day up river on Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Miss May Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Collins of Pine street, is spending the summer with her friend, Miss Angie Watson, at the Touraine, Swampscott beach.

Miss Annie Smart and Miss Alice Cox played at a musical given on Wednesday evening of last week, by Mr. and Mrs. J. Newton Cole and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pitman at the Lough House, Clifton Heights.

As the result of an unprovoked assault on a colored man by John Schofield, jr., coming from Lawrence on the last car Saturday night, the assailant was fined \$20 by Judge Poor and the money was forthcoming.

The street railway track at the railroad bridge on North Main street is being repaired. Several cars have been derailed at this point lately. The timbers on which the tracks were laid were too far gone to hold the spikes.

A baseball game will be played Saturday between the employees of the Marland mill residing on Main street and those residing in Marland village, the proceeds to be for the benefit of Dennis Carey, who broke his leg in a recent contest.

A picture of Rev. William J. Long of Stamford, Conn., who is so well known in Andover, appeared in last Sunday's *Boston Herald*, in an account of the manner in which authors spend their summers.

Miss Rena B. Whittemore of Boston, who has been spending the summer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whittemore, was given a birthday party in honor of her 17th anniversary last Monday. Many young friends and acquaintances were present and a most delightful evening was passed by all.

The Woman's Relief Corps have had one regular meeting through July and August and after the business of the Corps was finished several of the ladies furnished ice cream and cake. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social. Next month there will be two meetings, September 9th and 23rd.

The second in the series of historical expeditions under South Church Y. P. S. C. E. auspices will be made tomorrow. All friends of the members are invited to join the bicyclists. The start will be made from the South church at three p. m. The route will lie past Mr. Timothy Abbott's to the house of Mr. Joseph Bourdelais in Osgood district, when Mr. Shipman will give a short talk about James Otis, the Revolutionary orator who was killed there. The company will then ride to Haggett's pond for a basket supper.

Good progress is being made on the Haverhill and Andover road. The grading in Andover is practically completed to Whittier street altho' the ledge at Washington Avenue is giving some trouble. The engineers have changed the location somewhat near Plato Eames, the curve now approaching nearer to the street and allowing room for a sidewalk between the track and wall. This will be good news to many people. The changes will necessitate the removal of two small maple trees in the green plot between Elm street and road to the Thorndale stock farm. Rails and sleepers have been distributed along the route toward Andover square and the work of laying the rails will soon go merrily on. The franchise calls for the completion of the road in Andover by September 1, but according to present appearances it will not be done by then.

Rossiter Howard was in town today.

A number of Andover people attended the band concert in North Andover, last evening.

Miss A. M. Means returned to her home on Abbot street today after a four weeks' absence.

George Prescott will leave the Tyer Rubber Company to accept a position in Exeter, N. H.

A crossed wire was responsible for the ringing of the fire alarm Wednesday afternoon and evening.

A picnic of the Summer school was held at Foster's pond last Wednesday. The boys had a splendid time.

The remains of Charles L. Holt who died this week at the Medfield Insane Asylum, were brought to Andover, Thursday, for burial.

A special meeting of Post 99, G. A. R., will be held at Post headquarters, Friday evening, Aug. 22, at 8 o'clock to consider business of importance.

An auction sale of the real estate belonging to the late Mrs. Mary A. Underwood, consisting of 1-2 a double house, shed, barn and about 3-4 acre of land, including an orchard, will be held by Auctioneer Barnett Rogers on the property, 223 Main street at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Whittier club was defeated in the tennis tournament with the Arlington club, at Arlington Saturday. Starbuck won his match of singles for the Whittier club but Matthews was defeated in singles and Hitchcock and Matthews lost the doubles.

Summer Saunterers.

James C. Whittet spent Sunday at his home in Marion.

Miss Maude Randall and Miss Gertrude Randall are visiting friends in Boston.

Edward M. Allen of the firm of E. M. & W. A. Allen, is enjoying a few days' outing.

Miss Irene Bricault of Montreal, is visiting at her brother's, Dr. C. Bricault, Salem street.

Miss Emma O'Rourke of Salem street, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Daly on North Main street.

Miss Sarah E. Hayward, school teacher of Holyoke, Mass., is visiting her cousin, Helen E. Carruth, Chestnut street.

E. R. Barton of the Tyer Rubber Company, and his brother will enjoy an outing and the fishing at Pemaquid, Me., next week.

Fred H. Ladd of the Lawrence Telegram, returned to Andover, Sunday, after a three weeks' absence on an outing to Westport, Me.

Miss Amy Stork left Wednesday to join Mrs. Whittemore and daughters at their cottage at Pine Point, Maine, for the month of August.

Moses L. Farnham, Albert F. Farnham, the Misses Laura S. and Ida L. Farnham, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, will spend the ensuing week at Moosum lake, Emory's Mills, Me.

Mrs. John Collins and Master Willie of Pine street, are visiting Mrs. Collins' mother, Mrs. Davis, on East Chestnut street. Mrs. Collins has just recovered from a very severe case of smallpox.

Miss Riley of the Fleur-de-Lis, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation, part of which she is spending at Salisbury beach. During her absence Miss Blanche Cole has charge of the store.

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed Letters, Aug. 11, 1902.

Bennett, J. T., Esq.
Charles, Mon. Andronin
Cheney, Hiram
Conney, Bessie
Demontis, Vito
Emett, Gertrude
Franco di Cinedetti
Lawler, Mary
Le Baron, Reuben W.
Marine, Francesco
McCarthy, F. O.
Morrow, Mrs. Gertrude H.
Smith, Mrs. Helen C.
ARTHUR BLISS, P. M.

Summer Saunterers.

Frank Holt of Valpey Bros. market is enjoying a vacation this week.

Mrs. Thomas E. Rhodes is making a two weeks' stay in Oldtown, Me.

Martin Dougherty of the Lawrence One Price, is enjoying a vacation.

O. P. Chase is spending ten days at Springfield and Weathersfield, Vt.

Mrs. Sarah A. Mason has returned from a few days spent in Amesbury.

Mrs. A. L. Whittemore has gone to Nova Scotia for a several weeks' visit.

Walter Rhodes has been enjoying a vacation at Salisbury beach with friends.

Miss Lizzie Lamont of the Andover Press, is enjoying a three weeks' outing.

Miss Helen Jenkins has been visiting friends on the Squam river, Gloucester.

John Killackey, jr., spent a portion of the week at Salisbury and Hampton beaches.

Gus Nolan of Byron Truell & Co's, Lawrence, has been enjoying his vacation this week.

Charles S. Warden of Wakefield's market, is spending his vacation at York beach, Me.

Miss Annie G. Donovan of Brook street, is spending the month of August at Bar Harbor, Me.

Miss Bertha Higgins and Miss Lilla Gleason are spending their vacations at Old Orchard beach.

Miss Minnie Suggatt of Lawrence Gas Company's Andover office, is enjoying her annual vacation.

Miss Rose Amerio has resumed work at W. J. Burns' store, after a vacation spent in Rockland, Me.

Rodney Hitt of New York, has been visiting at Mr. and Mrs. William H. Higgins, Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Tuttle have been spending a few days along the North Shore, visiting Hampton and York beaches.

Miss Mabel Lawson leaves tomorrow for a two weeks' outing at the Weirs, Lake Winnepesaukee, in company with Lawrence friends.

Miss Ora E. Ward and Olin S. Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Richardson, are enjoying a month's vacation at Thorndyke, Me.

Otis and John Bernie of New York are visiting their family in Frye Village who are at present enjoying an outing at Salisbury beach.

Lydia F. Sutcliffe accompanied by Ivan D. Murch, will sail Saturday on Steamer Olivette for a visit to relatives in Prince Edwards Island.

Dan Hilton, assistant superintendent of Marland mills returned the latter part of last week from a two weeks' trip through Nova Scotia.

Miss Almira J. Lang returned from Asbury Grove, near Wenham, last Saturday. Her mother, Mrs. A. E. Lang, remained for the present week.

Miss Nellie H. Farmer of the Andover Press office, and Miss Mary F. Mason, stenographer at the Tyer Rubber Company, will spend the ensuing two weeks at Annisquam.

Mrs. Wendell P. Jenkins has been at Salisbury Beach and Plum Island the past week. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Dinmore of Lowell, who has been her guest.

During the outing of the Misses Wakefield at York beach, several of the young ladies participated in the parade during York's 250th commemorative exercises as Indian maidens on the Hiawatha buckboard.

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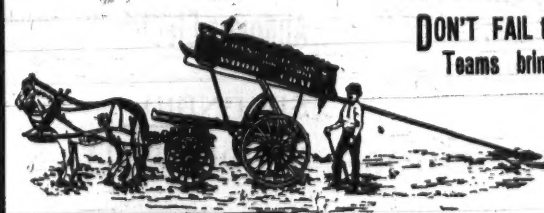
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BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Edwin Smith, Pastor. Services for Sunday, Aug. 17.
7.00 p. m. Union Y. P. S. C. E. meeting.
7.30 p. m. Thursday evening prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. B. A. Crampton, pastor. Services for Sunday, Aug. 17.
10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday School to follow.
7.00 p. m. Union Epworth League meeting.
7.30 p. m. Friday evening prayer meeting.

Patrick J. Scott is in Wheeling, W. Va.

Miss Clara Haber is visiting friends in Lawrence.

Miss Etta Greenwood is visiting relatives in Gilbertville.

Henry J. Gardner attended the funeral of his mother, Wednesday.

Miss Mary Cleary returned from Kennebunk beach, Me., Thursday.

Miss Blanche Crawshaw of Lawrence, is visiting relatives in the Vale.

Mrs. D. C. Greene of Reading, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Frank Parkhurst.

Mrs. John Haggerty and two children are visiting friends in Winsted, Conn.

Miss Edna Towle of Boston, was the guest Saturday of Miss Gertrude Newcomb.

Miss Margaret Masterson of Boston, spent Sunday with relatives in the Village.

Mrs. W. H. Clark of Salem, N. H., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Billington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Matthews and children spent Sunday with relatives in the Vale.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrell Ashton are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coupe in Providence, R. I.

Miss Rosie Lee of Lowell, has been spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Jane Caffrey.

Mrs. Charles W. Clark of Andover, spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Howell F. Wilson.

Miss Kate King and James Caffrey of Webster, spent Wednesday with relatives in the Vale.

Miss Marion Ryan and Willie Ryan of Nashua, N. H., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bonner.

Mrs. Emil Hoffman and daughter, Miss Edith Hoffman are spending several days at Salem Willows.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace S. Neal and the former's mother, Mrs. Neal, spent Sunday with relatives in Lowell.

Thomas Winton and Matthew Winton of Eastampton, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw.

Mrs. John Cronin and son of Derby, Conn., are visiting the former's aunt, Miss Rose Coyle, River street.

Rev. B. A. Crampton and wife will leave town the first of the week to spend their vacation at West Falmouth.

Miss Sarah Priest and Miss Agnes Cummings are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Shaw in Portsmouth, N. H.

Willie Wheatley left town Tuesday to continue his studies at the novitiate in Tewksbury, where he will spend the year.

Mrs. Leverett J. Griffin and Mrs. Mary A. Higgins of Haverhill, have been the guests of their sister, Miss Lizzie E. Salmund.

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TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

of the County of Essex.
Respectfully represent your petitioners, citizens of the town of Andover and city of Lawrence, within said County, that common convenience and necessity require a new highway between said city of Lawrence and the city of Lowell, to be laid out substantially as shown by a plan hereto annexed, or otherwise as your honorable board may determine; and your petitioners respectfully pray for the laying out and construction of such part of said highway as lies within said County, and for such other orders of existing highways in connection therewith, as such other orders may seem proper to your honorable board.
JOHN N. COLE and others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

EMERSON, Sec. of County Commissioners, July Term, 1902, held by adjournment at Salem, in said County, July 28, 1902.
On the petition aforesaid, it is ORDERED, that said petitioners give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein that said Commissioners will meet at the Court House in Lawrence in said County, on Tuesday, the ninth day of September next, at nine o'clock A. M., by publishing an attested copy of said petition and of this order thereon in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper printed in Andover in said County, in the Lawrence American, and in the Lawrence Daily Eagle, newspapers printed in Lawrence in said County, once a week for three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said ninth day of September, and also by serving the town clerk of said Andover with an attested copy of said petition and of this order therein thirty days at least before said ninth day of September, at which time and place said Commissioners will proceed to view the premises, and take such order in relation to the prayer of said petition, as by law they may be authorized to do.
Attest,
EDWARD B. GEORGE, Clerk.
The foregoing is a true copy of said petition and the order thereon.
Attest,
JAS. P. HALE, Asst. Clerk.
A true copy of Petition and the order of Court thereon.
Attest,
ELMER A. BRIGGS, Deputy Sheriff.

WHAT COULD HE SAY?

"Here's an account of a man," said Mrs. Gadsby, "who hasn't spoken a word to his wife in three years."
"That's rather a rigid adherence to one of the rules of politeness," said Gadsby.
"Rules of politeness!" said Mrs. Gadsby in a scornful tone.
"Yes, never interrupt a lady when she is talking."—Stray Stories.

LAWRENCE.

COUNTRY CLUB CLAM BAKE.

Out under the open sky, with beautiful surroundings and ideal weather conditions, the members of the Merrimack Valley Country Club and their friends who had assisted them at their minstrel show, enjoyed an excellent clam bake at 6 o'clock Wednesday night and afterwards a delightful informal hop in the pretty club house. The air was cool, yet comfortable, the day was perfect, and the night with its silver half moon, was a rare and glorious August night.

Of the many good times which have taken place at the Country Club, yesterday's clam bake was one of the very best.

The steaming hot clams and lobster and all the fixins, together with chowder, rolls and hot coffee made a clam bake "fit for a king," and the 200 people who enjoyed it will not soon forget yesterday's bake.

The tables were set out on the lawn on the east side of the club house, and during the supper music was continuously discoursed by the Columbian orchestra which was stationed on the veranda. The catering was done by Leach Bros. of Methuen and the entire affair was in charge of the house committee, which comprises Dr. F. W. Kennedy, chairman, the Hon. A. E. Mack and Walter Rowe.

In the evening those who desired to dance had a good opportunity to swing partners and the music played by the orchestra vividly brought to mind the minstrel show—the "Caddy Chorus" could almost be seen and heard stinging the catchy "Swipe, Swipe, Swipe the Ball," there was little Rastus Hood delighting his audience with "Oh, Mr. Moon, My Baby," and all the rest of the black-faced entertainers were recalled. Orrin D. Howlett who had trained the "troupe" was present and was delighted with the hospitality accorded him.

While several danced, by far the greater number preferred to sit out on the veranda which was flooded with moonlight and which commanded a view of the lighted city, the quiet river, and the black outline of the landscape. The pleasant affair came to an end soon after 10 o'clock.

Among those present were:

Hon. and Mrs. A. C. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cole, Dr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. William McAlpine, Hon. and Mrs. L. P. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Field, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holt, Mr. and Mrs. William Oswald, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Priestman, Dr. and Mrs. George Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rowe, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. B. P. Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Chase of Haverhill, the Rev. and Mrs. Robert MacDonald, Mrs. John Porter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stedman, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gowing, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shattuck, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kitchin.

The Misses Mildred Atkinson of Reading, Mary A. Gage, Helen Stanley, Rose Devine, Arline Porter, Minnie Miller, Eleanor Field, Eleanor Page, Bertha Sargent, Mildred Moore, Alice and Annie Perkins, Marion Emerson, Margaret Gavin, Alice Cheney, Marion Marble, Annie Jacob, Grace Blackwell of Brockton, Alice Nevins, Grace Ranney of Concord, the Misses Wood of Bradford, the Misses Bonette of Bradford.

The Misses George H. Gage, H. P. Poore, Fred Collins, George Corser, Fred Sargent, Matt Stuart, Joe Brown, E. A. Day, Dan A. Donohue, Robt. Smith, G. N. Norton, L. D. Norton, G. P. Lowe, Paul R. Clay, Dr. F. W. Kennedy, John A. O'Mahoney, Joseph B. Robinson, J. W. Robinson, E. F. Searle, Harry Stanley, R. A. Hale, Dean Small, John C. Sanborn, T. E. Andrews, A. D. Marble, Dr. C. W. Partridge, Rodney Hitt of New York, Clarence W. Ayer of Brockton, Orrin D. Howlett of Wakefield, W. D. Livermore, Fred Sargent, Charles White of Andover, Harry W. C. C. Summer of Haverhill, Norman Lyons, M. W. Morris, Irving Sleeper of Haverhill, H. L. Sherman, and several others from this city and Methuen and Haverhill.

Edward E. Sargent, president of the First National bank, Merrimack, is dead. Heart disease was the cause of death.

The Central Labor union of Lynn refuses to unite in a grand parade with the independent union on Labor day.

Last year 436 patients were admitted to the Hale hospital, Haverhill of which number 41 died. The expense for the year was \$38,744.98.

William Ahern of Haverhill, a plumber employed at work upon a roof in that city, fell Saturday and was quite badly injured.

A little girl named Ruth Packard of Newburyport was so badly bitten by a dog that her chances of recovery are not considered good.

The sub-committee of "horse experts" from the fire department committee in Salem, purchased blind horse, but the matter was straightened out later.

The greater portion of the property stolen by Annie Gilbert, who was at the Surfside hotel, Gloucester, has been recovered by the Gloucester police in Boston pawnshops.

The figures given out by the Salem assessors, show an increase in real estate valuation of \$208,000, and a decrease in personal property of \$52,800. There are 9952 polls.

There was no choice for either agent or secretary in the election of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union at Haverhill, Saturday. Another election is ordered for next Saturday.

Frank W. Howe of Lowell is said to have aspirants for the congressional seat in the fifth district, to be vacated by Congressman Knox. Butler Ames is the other candidate.

The Johnson property, corner of Green and Pleasant streets, Newburyport, recently sold, as it was supposed, for a theatre site, has been purchased by Edward S. Hidden, a baker.

William Bunce, a lineman for the People's Telephone company, Haverhill, had a narrow escape from being killed Saturday afternoon while repairing a broken circuit at Haverhill.

The life saving crews of Newburyport and Plum Island stations rescued three men from a gasoline launch during the storm of Friday. The men had become bewildered and were in danger of drowning.

George C. Rollins, of the firm of Rollins & Ballou, dealers in groceries and provisions at Tapleville, was robbed of \$1500 by a pickpocket in Boston on Saturday afternoon. There is no clue to the thief.

The New York Yacht club has been making things lively at Marblehead, where over 300 pleasure craft have been in the harbor. Races were held yesterday and a grand illumination and fireworks took place last night. The cruise ends today.

A CURE FOR CHOLERA INFANTUM.

"Last May," says Mrs. Curtis Baker, of Bookwalter, Ohio, "an infant child of our neighbors was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctor had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house, telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days' time the child had fully recovered, and is now (nearly a year since) a vigorous, healthy girl. I have recommended this Remedy frequently and have never known it to fail in a single instance." For sale by all druggists.

Sale—3000 yards fancy lawn remnants special patterns, 25c quality, 12 1-2c per yard, at Farr's Remnant store, 9 Lawrence street, Lawrence.

GROWING LAWRENCE.

Considerable building is being done about the city at the present time and quite a number of houses are under way. The architects and contractors are being kept busy with the work on hand.

At the office of Architect Adams plans are being drawn for a three tenement block to be built by James Gillen on Newbury street between Methuen and Essex streets. The building will be 35 feet in front and will extend back 62 feet. On the first floor there will be a store in front, and a tenement in the rear. There will be one tenement on each of the other floors. At the same office plans are being drawn for a pretty barn which is to be built adjoining the new house of Mrs. Clara Smith on Howard street.

Additions are being made to a school building in North Andover after plans drawn by Architect Adams. The carpenter work is being done by Contractor Costello of this city, the plumbing by Lettich and the mason work by Contractor Trombley.

Contractor Holden has secured the contract for the carpenter work upon the house of Dr. Moulton of South Broadway. Forbes is doing the plumbing for the heat and steam. The plans are by Adams.

The iron beams have been put in place in the Odd Fellows building. Architect Cullinane has considerable work on hand at the present time and plans for several buildings are in his hands that have not been let to contractors. Some of the work of which he has charge as architect follows:

The two tenement house of M. P. Kiley on Marston street has been remodelled. The work has just been completed and the families are now moving in.

Work is progressing well on the two apartment house of J. J. Desmond on Whitman street. The house is being remodelled.

The finishing touches are being put on the new two tenement house of Ernest Klamon on Exchange street.

The three tenement house of Edward Burnes on Arlington street is now ready to plaster.

Mr. Cullinane has drawn plans for a six tenement house for Shiner Syk to be built in Worcester.

Plans have been completed for a three tenement house for J. F. and C. A. Frye to be built at the corner of Lawrence and Lexington streets. The contract has not yet been let. Plans have also been drawn for an 8 tenement block for Lucumb Katz on Chestnut street. This contract has not been let.

The finishing touches are being put on the six tenement house of George Hart of Oak street.

Plans are in preparation for alterations to be made on the block at 30-348 Park street owned by Margaret Burnes. It will contain four tenements and two stores.

David Beattie & Son are to have a coal pocket built in Andover. The plans are now being figured upon.

The foundation for a six tenement house for Asid Rabbi & Co., on Elm street is being laid.

Alterations and additions are being made to the three tenement house of Mr. and Mrs. Graham on Tremont street.

A house is being built for Dr. Frank on Jackson street. Fred Gelsier is doing the work.

The foundation is in for the building of Rash Alakel at 359 Elm street. Architect J. S. Sidley has drawn plans for a two tenement house on Avon street. Dr. J. F. Howard is the owner. The contract for the carpenter work is not yet let. Mr. Sidley has also drawn plans for a nice stable roof house for Joseph J. Brooks on Swan street. The cellar is being put in at the present time.

The contract for the plastering for the new orphan asylum building, being constructed on Maple street, after the plans of Architect Regan has been let to Joyce brothers. The building is all ready for this work.

Work has begun on the frame of the new house of James Finnegan on Acton street. The structure will be a three tenement. Architect Regan drew the plans.

Mrs. Barnes is having her house on High street remodelled after plans drawn by Architect Regan.

The double tenement house of Patrick English in Andover is being built by Carl Woelke of this city. Architect Regan drew the plans.

J. S. Huntress of Ashton's office is building a cottage house on Prospect street, Methuen. The building has some novel architectural features.

WHAT A TALE IT TELLS.

If that mirror of yours shows a wretched, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moist patches and blotches on the skin, it's liver trouble; but Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, purify the blood, give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25c at Arthur Bliss's drug store.

A BIG CLOUDBURST.

Torrents of rain fell during a thunder shower Monday afternoon, causing many washouts and flooding the streets in places so that for several minutes passage for pedestrians was blocked.

Rain began to fall early in the morning and there were showers at frequent intervals all the forenoon, but the heaviest downfall came about 1.30 in the afternoon when there was a cloudburst over the city.

It is estimated that more rain fell in five minutes during the shower than during any other storm in this city for years.

In Methuen there were several washouts as the result of the storm. At Ingalls' bridge on Broadway there was a bad washout.

Reports from other towns in the vicinity show that the damage by washouts will be considerable.

One of the worst washouts was at the corner of Providence and Ames streets, opposite the A. B. Bruce schoolhouse, where the heavy downpour of rain, made by the heavy downpour of rain. Other bad and dangerous washouts are reported at the foot of Butler street, on Main street; corner of Pine and Chestnut streets, and in this vicinity many cellars were flooded. At the corner of Elm and Prospect streets, opposite 313 Elm street; opposite 124 Main street; on Berkeley street; between Hall and Bruce streets; corner of Haverhill and Ames streets; corner of Haverhill and Reservoir streets; corner of East Haverhill and Prospect streets; and a very bad washout at the corner of Kingston and Emmett streets, where the new sewer is being built.

Short street was badly washed out, holes being made along the side of the street; and the macadam in the vicinity of the sewer was washed out. A break in the surface is reported in front of Trinity church, Haverhill street; and a large hole is reported in the Oak street alley between White and Pine streets.

The cellar of the E. M. Hyatt establishment, Common street, was flooded and there is also water in the cellar at 84 Valley street, and several other parts of the city.

The street at the corner of Essex and Oxford streets is flooded and the damage cannot be estimated until the water drains off. The capacity of the sewer is not great enough for the great quantity of water.

The heavy rain greatly hampered the electric cars, and during the storm and for sometime afterwards, the service was very poor on nearly all of the lines. The cars were not only off time but were not running.

"BEEF PRODUCTION IN NEW ENGLAND."

In its crop report for July the Massachusetts State Board of Agriculture prints an article on "Beef Production in New England," by Prof. J. W. Sanborn, of Hingham, N. H., and formerly director of the Missouri and Utah agricultural experiment stations.

In this article Prof. Sanborn says in part:—Are the present prices of beef and the promising outlook for beef production in New England due to permanent causes, or are they based upon transitory conditions? If new industrial agricultural conditions are at the root of the high prices of meat products they demand close attention and call for a new attitude on the part of our farmers towards the stock industry.

It is probable that the corn shortage of 1901 of nearly one-half the usual production has aided the natural tendency to enhance prices of beef, and that a return to normal crops will have a modifying influence on prices of meat products. The basic cause of the present satisfactory prices of meats is found in a constantly decreasing ratio of meat animals to population.

From 1892, when the number of meat animals in the United States reached a high water mark, there has been a steady decrease in the total number raised for the shambles. In round numbers from 133 millions in 1892 to 104 millions in 1899. The great live stock markets have shown this year, despite the allotment of exceedingly high prices (\$3.40 per 100 lbs. live weight in Chicago) a marked decrease in receipts over last year and over preceding years for nearly a decade. The constant rise in prices from \$14.06 per head for cattle in 1895 to \$22.79 in 1899, failed to induce an increase in numbers, or even to check the phenomenal decrease of stock. When the ranges became occupied in full a great increase of range-fed cattle in eastern markets occurred. Prices went down to rates impossible to duplicate by eastern feeders at a profit. At last the readjustment of cattle to range capacity is practically completed, upon a basis of greatly reduced numbers in the face of rapidly increasing population, and constant absorption of range area into tillage range.

The menace to beef production on farms has passed into history.

It is possible to grow as much beef per acre in New England, at as good profit to one who produces the food as by growing wheat. The farmer may feel assured that a higher range of prices is to prevail for these reasons:—1. Population is rapidly increasing, while beef production is stationary or losing ground. 2. The vast free range areas have been absorbed and beef production is on a heavy decline. 3. The corn-growing area of the West found beef production under past rates unremunerative and reduced its herds. 4. World-wide economic forces, increase of gold per capita; decline in rates of new lands; increased ratio of urban population, and the general rise of purchasing power, tend to a rise in all farm products. When the free ranges poured upon us their first and fullest products of beef, mutton and wool production in the East became discouraged. The butter type of cow came in and beef type went out. In great strides the West passed us in the art of breeding and feeding for beef.

Successful beef production in New England must rest upon:—1. A more intensive agriculture. 2. Better bred steers—the good steer. 3. Better pastures—early maturity. 4. Better pastures. Good pastures and the richer and more varied foods of a tillage rotation are prerequisites to the successful introduction of the good steer.

Early maturity. Without the good steer, early maturity, profitable beef raising in the East is utterly hopeless.

A good steer must have form—deep and broad in the twist or thighs, thick through the crops or hind the fore shoulders, broad across the joints, well sprung ribs and straight round barrel. A dairy type of steer will not sell with in one to three cents as much per pound as the beef type. Early maturity is the one factor of supreme importance in beef production. Steers in the East should be in their prime at from twenty to twenty-four months. The good type of steer can be sold at full market rates at than the poor type. In feeding the heavy percentage of the ration required for maintenance it is imperative that the steer be continuous growth from start to finish. I am not friendly to continuous grain feeding from birth to slaughter. A fattening period means fat put on in layers, and a soft, oleaginous handling steer. Experiment stations work and my own observations show that high grain rations are not economical nor necessary if grain is continuously fed from the start and growth is constant.

The business of farming in New England is that of crop growthstockfeeding being a method of acquiring the manure to feed the crops. I am confident that the good breeder and feeder will secure his plant food for crop growth cheaper by beef production than in the form of purchased fertilizer. I hold that at current rates for the best beef or even for a slightly reduced rate, up to 1200 pounds' weight properly bred and fed, beef making will afford a fair market for our crops, and the good steer may become a competitor of other live stock.

The bulletin may be secured on application to Hon. J. W. Stockwell, Secretary State Board of Agriculture, State House, Boston, Mass.

Dr. Chas. H. Utter, a prominent physician, of Panama, Colombia, in a recent letter states: "Last March I had as a patient a young lady of sixteen years, who had a very bad attack of dysentery. Everything I prescribed for her proved ineffectual and she was growing worse every hour. Her parents were sure she would die. She had become so weak that she could not turn over in bed. What to do at this critical moment was a study for me, but I thought of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and as a last resort prescribed it. The most wonderful result was effected. Within eight hours she was feeling much better; inside of three days she was upon her feet, and at the end of one week was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

OLD ORCHARD EXCURSION
FROM LAWRENCE AUG. 14th, 1902.—Old Orchard has so many pleasant features and numerous attractions that one does not know where to commence in praising it: the beautiful beach, the long ocean pier, the delightful scenic view and the various amusement places contribute much toward making it a favorite New England beach, and especially so as regards an ideal excursion ground.

The Boston & Maine railroad on August 14th intends to carry a large crowd to the celebrated spot.

Special train will leave Lawrence at 8.40 a. m., and returning will leave Old Orchard at 5.00 p. m., at a round trip rate of \$1.50.

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Of all the camp meetings, the Salvation Army is probably the largest and most important.

It opens on August 15th and closes on September 3d. A very pleasant program has been arranged, and this, together with the low rates offered by the Boston & Maine railroad will doubt draw a large assembly.

The Boston & Maine railroad will sell round trip tickets at reduced rates from this station and many of the principal stations on the road. The tickets will be good going Aug. 15th to September 3d, and returning Aug. 16th to Sept. 3d, as advertised in posters.

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And Andover "Pays the Freight."

It is understood that one of the most difficult phases of the question regarding small pox bills, to come up at the special town meeting is that of fixing the compensation of the inhabitants of the town, who were obliged to live in Andover while the disease was a visitor. Many citizens insist that a regular per capita charge should be paid by the town, as for instance a dollar a week to each inhabitant, others insist that people should be reimbursed according to the proximity of their homes to the quarantined houses, while still others insist that the reimbursement should vary according to the degree of nervousness and mental unrest experienced, to be determined by expert examination.

One difficulty in adjusting the account in any way chosen will arise from the fact that already nearly half the population has a bill against the town and until they know the methods to be followed in allowing this special grant, they will not dare to collect their present claim for fear it may be deducted from the final allowance. There is probably no truth in the statement that the Boston & Maine will charge the town because one of the patients crossed its track the day he was stricken; and it is also unlikely that the Townsman will make any charge for publishing the progress of the cases.

If any set of public officials deserve increased pay, it is the auditors, for their task has not been easy in keeping track of the cost of angel cake and broiled chicken, Key West cigars and public library supplies. If the orders for terrapin and champagne had been filled, it is doubtful if the poor bill approvers would have survived the ordeal.

Very Lax Methods.

We have refrained from any recent comment regarding the street railway service in town, largely because there has been a marked improvement in it. But there are some very bad breaks still existing, some of which have been shown up in clear light during the past week. It must be acknowledged that the storm of Monday was a very severe one, but no properly built and equipped railway system would have made so much trouble for its patrons as did the Boston & Northern, if the storm had been twice as severe.

The fact is there is a terribly big screw loose somewhere, when on a big system like the B. & N. the same break in service is allowed to occur over and over again with no attempt to remedy it. The case in point just now is the track from Harding street to the residence of Mr. W. M. Wood. Ever since it was laid it has been a source of trouble and on scores of times it has been covered with sand and water so as to stop travel. Officials have looked at it and pronounced it bad, and on more than one occasion the promise has been made that it would be fixed. But in one hour on Monday the rain and mud again did their mischief, travel was stopped and the public was justly indignant. The loss to the railway company must be heavy, from these repeated disturbances to its business, and certainly the injury to the public service is very severe. It would seem as if the street railway had become of sufficient importance to the public business and pleasure, to have its equipment kept in such shape that every passing shower will not put it entirely out of commission. And it is in such shape where the management is thoroughly efficient.

Editorial Cinders.

The people on "Pine street," which is not yet a street, are thinking that their troubles are not yet ended, judging from the delay in getting their street built. It would seem as if the sentiment of the town had been shown clearly enough to justify the town officials going ahead and actually doing something. If it is a question of more money, there is not one chance in a hundred of the town not standing behind the expenditure. It is the road that is wanted now, not further discussion regarding it.

Special town meetings come easy in Andover this year. One thing after another has arisen to make extra demand upon the town and the expense of the small pox trouble caps the lot. While there would seem to be no alternative in regard to that appropriation it is quite doubtful if the citizens will look with favor on any other special outlay at this time.

UNCLE SAM VS JOHN BULL

Letter From Andover Citizen in Scotland Reviewing Industrial Condition of the Two Powers.

"From time to time we read in our daily paper of the tremendous inroads which American goods and methods are making in the British market and of the great business openings for American trade in the British Isles. Our newspapers talk of the Americanizing of Great Britain in the industrial world but how great an undertaking this might prove is known only to the American business man who has ever attempted American methods in Great Britain with British workmen.

"Not long since the Boston Herald contained an article on the successful building of the largest electrical plant in the world in Lancashire, England, by an American contractor who undertook the job after every British contractor had refused to attempt it in the allotted time. His experiences with British workmen he will never forget. He employed American bosses and gradually they got the workmen to do as much work as an American mechanic. The job was completed within contract time but the contractor said it had taken seven years out of his life and no amount of money would ever tempt him to undertake a similar job again.

"Now the first inference arrived at is that the British workman is not as capable as his American cousin yet this was disproved for the former finally did as much work as the latter and as efficiently, as the contractor testified. But the work was done unwillingly and only under compulsion. The trade unions, the most powerful labor organizations in the world, objected to the rush system of America and between the unwillingness of the British workmen to be driven and the interposition of the labor organizations, the American who attempts to revolutionize British methods of labor too suddenly, will certainly undertake a proposition of Herculean proportions. The process has got to be gradual and it is extremely doubtful if the British workmen will ever submit to the rush and nerve racking bustle and drive of our American system. In fact it was stated to me candidly that if British supremacy or even equality in the markets of the world could only be obtained at the price of American rush, the British would accept the alternative and go down. But you can't find anyone who believes that that day will ever come.

"The British workman (by that I mean the artisan) who has a fair position and wants to enjoy life as only the workman here enjoys it—and they don't all enjoy it in drinking whiskey (either)—is far better off to stay in his native land. But there are not enough fair positions to go round and so emigration is the alternative. And it is only to the man who has left his native land, who has gotten into the hustle and rush of the newer countries that the difficulty of the problem is apparent. How it is to be solved is hard to tell. Morgan and Morganism will never do it. These are not feared here so much as they are detested. Such methods are repugnant to the average Scotchman and their opinions have been frequently listened to.

"If the best of British methods (America does not hold all that is best) and the best of American methods could be taken the job might easily be done. For the future of the American workman is as much at stake as the British. American goods are on sale everywhere and because of their nearer make find ready markets, and even sell in preference to the home made article. The reason for this was quaintly told the writer in course of a discussion the other evening with a young man who in telling what he knew about America and its methods displayed also how much he didn't know which was indeed quite considerable. Another further along in life's journey and daily battles, listened quietly and finally in genuine homespun said, 'I'll tell ye fat it is freends, there's nae use talkin' unless we waukin' up we'll find ourselves in the background.'

"Ye say, then, canna mak' a thing sae guid in America as here. It's nae sae substantial. Gae wa. The trouble is oors is ower substantial. For instance I gae awa' to the ironmongers shop for a rake. 'This is a hame-made article.' It's so and so. Work it a' day and it will tire a horse. Substantial! This is a Yankee. A rule neat, tidy looking article. Nae useless metal about it. It's fourpence less. They say the Yankee tools' disna last. Dod, I'll try this. I try it and it lasts fully as long and disna' brak' yer back to lift it. And so it is wi' a' thing. We mak' everything ower substantial. Freends we've got to waukin' up or we be sae far ahent that some day we'll rub oor' een and wonder whaur we're at. We'll be like China and Rome, that got up to the top, syne rested on their oars and woke up three thousand years after.

"I tell you sirs if we're to be in the procession we've got to up and doin' an' maein' the better. The American sit and maein' the American article because it is that and because it's that, but see tell that we mak' aye just as guid, if no better. Let it be substantial but no sae substantial as to be ponderous."

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New Chinese Minister Former Andover Student.

In an article about "Men and Women of the Hour" in the Saturday Evening Post of Aug. 9, the following little account of Sir Liang Chen Tung, the new Chinese minister to the U. S., is of interest to Andover people inasmuch as the Sir Liang formerly attended Phillips academy and the article speaks of his athletic career there:

"The new Chinese Minister who is coming to replace Mr. Wu Ting-fang has almost as many points to commend him to notice as Mr. Herbert, though in a different way. He, too, has been in Washington before, serving some years as an interpreter to the Chinese Legation; in fact, he was educated in American schools. Later he served as secretary to the delegation sent by China in honor of Queen Victoria's jubilee; and in recognition of his tact and diplomacy the Queen knighted him, so that he is now Sir Liang Chen Tung. His father was a poor man, but he had the advantage of having an uncle who was treasurer of one of the southern provinces of China. Through his uncle's influence the boy was sent to school at Shanghai. There he gave such a good account of himself that he was sent to this country by the Government with three parties of boys to be educated in American institutions. He was entered at Phillips Academy, Andover, Massachusetts, in 1887. He took to his surroundings like a duck to water, and one day paralyzed his associates from the Orient by appearing on the baseball field in full uniform, his queue tightly rolled under the traditional baseball cap, and his legs, which had always been chastely veiled according to Chinese custom, stood sturdily forth in knickerbockers and stockings. Long before the end of the season he had developed into one of the crack players of the Academy nine. Then he started out for new honors and took to rowing. Here, too, his success was conspicuous, and he was regularly enrolled as stroke oar.

"It was some time before the news of these outrages reached China, but when they got there the Government's censor made short work of Mr. Liang Chen's athletic ambitions. The whole scheme of sending China's boys to the Occident, the censor decided, was bad. He was certain the things they saw and heard and learned would breed disrespect for His Majesty, the Emperor, and that their minds would be filled with wicked thoughts. So Liang Chen Tung and all the others were recalled.

"However, the uncle's influence must still have prevailed, for it was not long before Liang was back in America, this time as interpreter to the Chinese Legation at Washington. Since then his career has been an uninterrupted march of advance. The appointment to Washington is the latest significant mark of the favor in which he is held by Prince Ching and the Dowager Empress.

"The new Minister is only thirty-nine years old, a fact that emphasizes the unusual distinction accorded him; for China, as a general thing, gives political favors only to those who are well advanced in years.

"It is generally prophesied by those who know that he will be even a greater favorite with Americans than Wu Ting-fang has been, for it is said that he has all of Wu's progressiveness without any of his prying inquisitiveness which has latterly given more or less offense in Washington circles, especially to the women.

"As one lady who met Liang in London expresses it, 'in addition to being an enterprising man he also has manners.' 'Illustrating this fact she tells an interesting little anecdote of the new Chinese diplomat. Liang was attending an afternoon tea in an important London house. The hostess inadvertently put a lump of sugar and cream in Liang's cup. Now the Chinese under ordinary circumstances would no more offend his palate by putting cream or sugar in tea than a German would by putting it in beer. This fact was well known to the husband of the hostess who happened to be talking to Liang when the maltreated tea was handed him.

"My dear," said the husband, 'I am afraid you have made a mistake. Tea should always be served plain to those who know how to drink it.' 'Not at all,' interposed Liang with a charming bow; 'there are occasions when the finest flavor is brought out by the judicious admixture of cream and sugar,' and he emptied his cup to the very dregs.

"Now, that was heroic," declared the Washington lady in telling the story, 'and worthy of a Chesterfield.'

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Weather Record.

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SMALLPOX BILLS

Special Town Meeting Called to Consider Appropriation to Meet Obligations.

The selectmen have issued a call for a special town meeting to be held in Punchard hall Monday evening, Aug. 25, at which will be considered the bills for the recent epidemic of smallpox. Treasurer Parker decided that the amount owed by the town was too large for an overdraft and was advised by the town counsel, Congressman Knox, that he had better not pay the bills without authority from the town. Thus the special town meeting was required.

There is a feeling that the amount due on the smallpox is rather larger than necessary and that some of the expenditures were made for articles that the quarantined parties were not entitled to, consequently the attendance promises to be large and the meeting lively. The warrant is printed below:

TOWN WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Essex, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Andover, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Andover qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet and assemble in the Punchard School hall, in said Andover, on Monday, August 25, 1902, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1st.—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ARTICLE 2nd.—To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars to defray the expense of the smallpox cases in town.

ARTICLE 3rd.—To see if the town will vote to appropriate an additional sum for repairs on highways.

ARTICLE 4th.—To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at Andover, this eleventh day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

B. FRANK SMITH
SAML H. BOUTWELL
S. H. BAILEY
Selectmen of Andover.

Another Suspicious Fire in West Andover.

That there is a firebug pursuing his nefarious work in the western part of the town seems almost a positive fact on account of the numerous fires which have every appearance of being the work of an incendiary. During the past year there have been at least four or five of such fires and the last one was on Sunday afternoon of this week.

The property to be destroyed was the old Samuel Bailey estate near the Bailey district school house, and now owned by John B. Bailey. Included in the property burned was a house, barn and shed. The house was unoccupied but the barn and shed were used for storage purposes. All the buildings were very old and owing to the distance from the town, no insurance was obtainable.

In the barn at the time of the fire were twenty tons of fine hay, two sleds and a new horse rake. These were all destroyed. In the shed was a mowing machine and that escaped destruction. The fire broke out in the barn about 3.30 o'clock and spread rapidly.

It was first noticed by Mr. Dodge of Hood's farm and Mr. Wilson of the piggery, a half mile distant from the farm. They hurried to the scene but could do little except to have a few tools and the mowing machine. No alarm was sounded as an alarm would have been useless. The loss of house, barn and contents is placed at about \$500 or more.

Chief Frye and Commissioner Casey have been making an investigation.

Lost an Eye.

A sad accident happened to William Knipes of this place at his work in Maynard last Saturday, by which he lost the sight of one eye.

Mr. Knipes is employed by the American Woolen company. During his work on Saturday afternoon he had occasion to remove a piece of pipe from a bench. As he did so a wire flew up, striking him in the eye. He felt that his sight was injured and consulted a physician who advised him to see an oculist. Mr. Knipes returned to Andover and later saw Dr. Merrill of Lawrence. Unfortunately the latter could not save the sight in this eye.

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10 Columbia Park, Haverhill

Dr. W. B. Brown at the Free Church in 1896.

Since the announcement in the last Townsman of the death of Dr. Brown, for five years the pastor of the Free Church in the middle of last century, I have come upon brief notes, taken at the time, of the "notable address" to which reference is made—that at the fiftieth anniversary of the church in May, 1896, two weeks before the great jubilee celebration of the town. Although meagre and disconnected, these notes may serve to recall to those who were present that touching and beautiful address as well as the person of the venerable man, whose face almost shone as he offered prayer and spoke these words of tender reminiscence.

"Where are those apostles of the church, the three brothers, John, Peter and James Smith? There are gone—and yet not gone! They are more in this audience tonight than my eyes look upon."

"For a year I have been standing on the crumbling verge waiting and ready to step over. But I am growing young as I am growing old."

"Fifty years ago Slavery ruled the church and the state. When I came here the underground railroad was running, and John Smith's house was one of the principal depots. As to temperance, I knew more about it then than I do now—I was more positive, more dogmatic. Do you know, friends, that the world is changing? The time has come when differences between denominations have been swept away."

"Will it be a right thing for me, an old man, standing on the very verge of the grave, to speak of myself? I have been looking over my life and ministry. As I look back from my present standpoint, I see that I might have achieved much more than I have achieved. I could have spoken with more soul—with more of Christ in what I spoke. That was the failure, so far as there was failure. And now I sometimes hardly know in which world I am. There is less difference than we think in the two worlds. I wish you might all know the secret of a true life, it is to be guided by the Holy Spirit."

These words of the "old man eloquent" gain tenderness and force from the fact of his sudden death—in an instant he stepped over the boundary between the two worlds! I think Mr. J. W. Smith has a full stenographic report of this address.

C. C. C.

Car and Carriage Collide.

The people standing in Andover square about half past seven last Saturday night were considerably startled by hearing the sudden crash of a collision and their attention became fixed on a horse attached to an open wagon on the single seat of which were three people in dangerous proximity to an electric car. Before the horse, which was somewhat frightened, could do any damage, Officer Mears and citizens standing near had seized his head and assisted the people to alight from the carriage, rather frightened but otherwise uninjured. It was found when the carriage was backed away from the car, that two spokes out of one wheel was about all the damage done.

Eye witnesses say that the driver of the vehicle was to blame for the accident. The carriage belonged to Mrs. Winslow of South Main street and the driver was James Bartum, a colored man. The others in the wagon were a Miss Munse, who lives at Miss Hinchelliffe's on Porter street, and a little girl.

The car had stopped at the crossing in the square as usual and had started again but was going slowly as a momentary had not been obtained and a switch was to be taken. Bartum, it is said, deliberately turned in front of the car and tried to cross the rails. The result as was stated above, was a crash. Fortunately the car was a small one and the motorman alert. If the car had been one of the Lawrence & Reading variety a different story would have been related, it is probable.

"He calls his office a 'dental parlor.' Isn't that ridiculous?"

Marriage is said to be a sufficient "career" for any woman, and it is equally true of men. Like Emerson's vision of friendship, it is fit "not only for serene days and pleasant rambles, but for all the passages of life 'and death.' It is to make one the stronger, because one does not have to go alone. It is to make one enjoy the sweeter, because it is shared. It is to take the sting away from grief, because it is divided, and the dear comfort of the others' love lies for ever around the sore and doubting heart. It is to be the light in the darkness. It is to be the gentleness—strength and tenderness, passion and purity, the fire and the snow.

BASEBALL

Andover 10; Malden 2.

Last Saturday afternoon on the P. A. campus, Andover defeated Malden 10 to 2 in a Trolley league contest.

The home team scored four runs in the second by means of three hits, two sacrifice hits, two bases on balls and an error, added one in the sixth by two hits and a passed ball, and completed their scoring in the seventh by a comedy of errors which Rodgers made, assisted by two hits, several stolen bases and a passed ball. Malden scored three in the fifth and before and after that inning hardly a man saw first base.

Captain Pomeroy kept Malden's five hits well scattered and batted hard himself. He was given excellent support by both the infield and outfield. "Saunders" throwing to first was a feature. He accepted four chances without an error. Buchanan covered first in great shape. Sutcliffe in right field covered himself with glory. Maloney played shortstop. Aside from a muffed fly, following it with a wild throw, his game was all that could be desired. Mander, who played second, had one good play to his credit, also a poor one. Stewart caught a splendid game and threw to bases perfectly. His one error was not costly.

For the visitors, Hart, Cullinane of this place, who played for Malden, and Ebert played excellent ball. Cullinane's double play unassisted and Black's star catch of Saunders' fly, which looked good for two bases, were features of the game.

The score:

ANDOVER.		MALDEN.	
	ab po a e		ab po a e
Knipes lf	4 1 1 0	Cullinane 2b	1 4 1 1
Stewart c	0 6 3 1	Gethell ss	0 4 0 2
Manders 2b	0 1 0 1	Ebert 3b p	0 3 1 0
Pomeroy p	4 0 3 0	Harris p 1b	2 2 2 0
Maloney ss	0 3 2 2	Hart c	0 5 2 0
Saunders 3b	0 0 4 0	Demette lf 3b	1 1 0 1
Buchan 1b	0 13 0 0	Black rf cf	1 1 1 1
Nolan cf	3 1 0 1	Kirk of lf	0 1 0 0
Sutcliffe rf	0 3 1 0	Rodgers 1b	0 3 0 2
Totals	9 27 13 5	'02-'0711-1111 6 1 1 0 0.378978903	

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Andover 0 4 0 0 1 5 0 0—10
Malden 2 0 0 3 0 0 0 0—5
Runs made: Pomeroy 2, Maloney, Saunders, Buchan 2, Nolan 6
Cullinane, Black, Rodgers; bases on balls, Off Pomeroy 5, on Harris 6; double play, Cullinane; hit by pitched balls, Nolan, Stewart, Cullinane; passed ball, Hart 2; struck out, by Pomeroy 7, by Harris 4; sacrifice hits, Maloney 2, Buchan 1; time 1 h. 40 m.; umpire, McNally.

Trolley League Standing.

Secretary H. H. Richardson of the Suburban Trolley baseball league, which closes its season September 13, gives out the standing of the clubs to date as follows:

	won	lost	won p.c.
Melrose	12	4	.750
Medford	8	4	.667
North Woburn	8	5	.616
Stonham	8	6	.571
Andover	7	8	.467
Malden	3	6	.333
St. Charles	2	6	.250
Saugus	3	11	.214

Andover will play Melrose of the Trolley league, on the P. A. campus Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. As Melrose leads the league and as Andover is now playing good ball the game should be a fine one to watch. The admission is 15 cents. Last week the boys did not clear expenses, largely owing to the number of dead-heads so let everybody go this week and be prepared to put their hands in their pockets.

WEST PARISH.

Chester N. Boutwell is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Streeter of Somerville are the guests of the latter's uncle, John Shaw.

Miss Grace Burr has returned from Orr's Island and will leave tomorrow for Laconia, N. H., where she will be the guest of relatives for a week.

Miss Edith Abbott, nurse at the Tewksbury state hospital, was the guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Abbott on Tuesday and Wednesday.

About 25 or 30 members of the local Grange attended the Essex County Pomona Grange picnic at Salisbury beach, yesterday.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the West church enjoyed a picnic at Haggetts pond last Saturday afternoon and evening. The various amusements of the place, boats, swings, and shady nooks, furnished enjoyment enough for all. There were about 20 in the party. Supper was served at 7 o'clock.

A small sized cyclone did a considerable amount of damage to crops and orchards during the heavy shower last Monday afternoon. While there was scarcely any wind down in Andover Centre, the velocity and strength in the West Parish was sufficient to turn over an out-building belonging to Sylvanus Lovejoy and deposit it on the foundation again "bottom side up with care," to uproot trees and level corn fields. On George L. Averill's farm, the loss to orchards and garden will be in the neighborhood of \$200. One apple tree was blown up by the roots. The cyclone seemed to start near Dickson's grove and from there cut a swath to the West Parish Centre and somewhat beyond.

Dues of A. V. I. S.

The annual membership fees of the A. V. I. S. for the year ending Feb. 1903, are due.

The summer's work is well under way and early remittances will enable the treasurer to meet the incoming bills without delay.

Will not the members kindly send in this small fee without further notice.

CRICKET

METHUEN 25; ANDOVER 24.

By the close score of 25 to 24, the Methuen cricket team defeated the Andover team on the Barker street grounds Saturday afternoon. Methuen won with the loss of only two wickets. Hodgson making 14. Six wickets for 14 runs were taken by Wade, while Ankers took 4 for 9.

ANDOVER.

Bruce, not out 11
Sullivan c Ankers b Wade 0
Gordon b Ankers 2
Callum b Wade 0
Black b Wade 1
Rhodes c Hoyle b Wade 1
Soutard b Wade 3
McDermott c Earnshaw b Wade 0
Brown c Hoyle b Wade 1
Wallace b Ankers 3
Ross b Ankers 3
Extras 1

Total 24

METHUEN.

Hodgson not out 14
J. Hamer run out 4
W. Hamer c Wallace b Brown 6
Ankers, not out 1

Total 25

To bat—Polgreen, D. Hamer, Saxon, Earnshaw, Wade, Hoyle Higdon.

BROCKTON 115; MERRIMAC 104.
BROCKTON, Aug. 9.—The Brockton Cricket club made a feature of coronation day by a general decoration of its grounds and fireworks in the evening and by defeating the Merrimacs of Lawrence by a score of 115 to 104, with but four wickets down. Longbottom of the visitors led the batting score, however, with 50 runs to his credit.

Score:

BROCKTON.
Orton c Haddon b Gay 9
Stringer b Whitaker 15
Smith b Robertshaw 40
Grant b Robertshaw 0
Grimley not out 24
Keen not out 30
Extras 7

Total 115

Carter, Dubois, Coats, Taylor, Heritage to bat.

MERRIMAC.

Haddon b Grimley 13
Longbottom c Taylor b Grimley 50
Garret c Grant b Carter 8
Easthope b Carter 3
Whitaker c Keen b Grimley 17
Gay c Orton b Grimley 0
Grimmet b Grimley 0
Robertshaw b Carter 2
Galoway c Grant b Carter 2
Coats b Carter 1
Bastow not out 2
Extras 4

Total 104

LAWRENCE ATH. 15; ZIONS 14.

LOWELL, Aug. 9.—Taylor of the Lawrence Athletics was too strong a bowler for the Zions in the league contest in South Lowell this afternoon. The Lawrence team won the game with the loss of four wickets.

LAWRENCE ATHLETICS.

Pye, not out 7
Hill c Hindle b Waite 1
Penneaux b Berthistle 1
Lowery c Hindle b Waite 0
Cutnell, not out 0

Total 15

Pearson, Walker, Woodcock, Walwright, Taylor and Gill to bat.

ZIONS.

Berthistle b Walker 0
Howarth b Taylor 4
Bailey b Taylor 1
Waite b Taylor 0
Hindle c Walwright b Walker 0
McKiejohn b Walker 0
Croft b Taylor 0
Maden b Taylor 0
Hadley b Walker 0
Whitworth b Taylor 0
Concannon not out 1
Extras 2

Total 14

LAWRENCE 26d 50 ANDOVER 2nd 35.

By a score of 50 to 35, the Lawrence second team defeated the Andover second at cricket on the Merrimac street grounds Lawrence Saturday afternoon. Coult of Andover took 5 wickets for 19 runs, while Falconer also of Andover, took 5 for 30. The batting of John Ramsey was a feature.

Cricket League Standing.

Following is the standing of the Merrimack Valley Cricket league:

	Played	Won	Lost	Points
Bunting	10	9	1	18
Mohair	10	9	1	18
Lawrence	9	7	2	14
Methuen	9	7	3	12
Merrimacks	10	4	6	8
Andover	11	3	8	6
Billerica	11	2	9	4
Zion	9	0	9	0

The Andover Cricket club will play the Merrimacks at Lawrence, Saturday. Andover will be represented by Rhodes, Bruce, Sullivan, McDermott, Gordon, Black, Soutar, Callum, Angus, H. Kydd, J. Kydd; reserve, Coult. The second team will play Methuen at Methuen and will consist of Callum, Fairlie, W. Coult, Ramsey, S. Falconer, Munroe, Hilton, Whittemore, Ross and Craig.

Summer School to Close.

Next Friday concludes one of the most successful seasons that the Andover Summer, or Vacation, school has ever experienced.

Wonderfully popular has been this institution in Andover, both under the direction of former Supt. Geo. E. Johnson, of the public schools, and under the management of John Angus of Andover and Princeton.

The boys enter into the work with a zest that is pleasing to the corps of teachers, while their play-work brings to them much that is good and lasting in new ideas and experiences. They are taught self-reliance, dexterity, self-control—and many, many more attributes which will be of lasting worth to them in later years.

On Friday next the closing time of the six weeks' term will come and from 2.30 to 4 o'clock there will be an exhibition and sale of the articles the boys have been making. Among other things the boys will sell ping pong racquets they have made.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Jimmy—Why did yer slug him?
Patsy—He said "Is it hot enough fer yer?"—right after me goll had touched me fer four ice creams an' tree sodas!—Puck.

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THE FROZEN DESSERTS.

So many names are given to different frozen desserts that a few words of explanation are needed.

Ice cream consists mainly or entirely of cream, and takes a specific name from the substance used for flavoring. Frozen pudding is ice cream or custard, highly flavored, and containing preserved fruits and nuts. It is often served with a sauce.

Mousse takes its name from the mossy, feathery ice developed in whipped cream, put in a mould, and packed for several hours in ice and salt.

Water ices are frozen without rapid motion, which would interfere with the clearness of the ice; fruit juices are the principal ingredient.

Sherbets are water ices frozen more rapidly, and white of egg or gelatine is often added to give a creamy consistency.

Frappe is ice half frozen, or like a lumps of ice in a cream; therefore, says the American Kitchen Magazine, it is better to use only juice and pulp pressed through a linen strainer, and to discard skins and seeds.

The heavy cream which is sold at 40 cents a quart must be reduced by milk or fruit juices, or the action of the freezer is likely to produce butter.

Where cream is not attainable, a soft custard if often used as the foundation for an ice cream. Milk may be slightly thickened with flour, arrowroot or corn starch, and if the starch is thoroughly cooked, this is more satisfactory than if egg alone is used for thickening the milk.

Rapid motion of the crank is a waste of energy except for ices in which a light consistency is desired. When it becomes difficult to turn the handle the work is done.

A small quantity of gelatine is generally put in sherbets and may be used in ice cream to aid in molding it. Junket tablets are sometimes used to thicken the milk slightly before freezing. From one-half to one tablet is dissolved in each quart of milk.

One part of coarse salt and three parts of ice, pounded nearly as fine as the salt, are combined to do the freezing. For frappe the quantity of salt is increased.

The cream of custard should be chilled before it is put in the freezer can. Since the cream will expand while being frozen, the cans must not be filled full.

"Uncle," said little Johnny, "tell me how you charged with your war horse up the San Juan hill at the head of your troops."

"Well," well said the battle scarred veteran.

"I mounted the fiery animal, drew my sword from its scabbard, rose in my stirrups, cried 'Forward!' and sunk the spurs deep in the quivering flanks of my gallant steed."

"Yes!" exclaimed the boy, breathlessly. "Go on, uncle. Tell me the rest of it."

"There isn't any more to tell, Johnny," said his uncle, with a pensive sigh. "The horse balked!"—Chicago Tribune.

"I tell you, sir, civil service is a great thing."

The man addressed looked astonished. "Coming from any one but you, that remark would not greatly surprise me," he said. "You didn't think so when I last saw you."

"No, I didn't."

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HISTORICAL ANDOVER

Lorraine in Andover

The legend came with the latest to arrive from England that in the Province of Lorraine in France, these Lorens—alias Loring—began, and perhaps escaped first to England from persecution on account of religion. Our first man was Thomas who appeared in the little town of Hull, Mass., in 1635. His wife Jane Newton lived till 1672, and the children began to spread out to Hingham and Duxbury where Tom and Hannah Jacobs, Lieut. Tom and Deborah Cushing, Nathaniel and Priscilla Bailey, William Loring and Alethea Alden, raised for us Rev. Bailey Loring of North Andover 1st church from 1810 to 1850 and his niece Lucinda Alden, daughter of Alden Loring and Lucinda Briggs. She married Otis Bailey of North Andover and her children include Sarah Loring Bailey the historian. Bailey sketches pp. 132, 465 to 468 give a full account of this well known line from the South Shore, whose descendants are still represented by the family of the late Isaac Osgood Loring in North Andover. The latest to come was English John son of David who was loitering about the beach near his father's house and was caught away by a French Man of War and brought over to America at the age of 18 in 1758-9.

He deserted of course, as soon as he got near the Fishing Fleets and came to Plymouth finally, maybe because he heard of all these early Lorings down there and possibly they gave the young fellow a lift. Whether he ever heard from home again or where he got his wife, whose name was Sarah Foster, we do not yet discover. The next we hear of him, he is 34 years of age and enlisting in the Rangers of Litchfield and Pelham, N. H., to go to Quebec under Montgomery, at the outbreak of the Revolution. He had at least, at this time a son Solomon who is said to have been a bachelor with a club foot to hold him to the trade of shoemaker in Plymouth; so it is possible the mother's people came from that section. John of Boscawen, N. H., was born about 1768 and settled for awhile in Methuen, where he married Joanna Morse. His descendants are still living near Milford, N. H.

David and William moved to New York near Schenectady. William married a Stearns of Charlestown, N. H. The father served through the war and we hope to find traces of his record in Pelham soon. Nothing is given in Litchfield. Thomas Loring was the youngest and probably born near the close of the war after 1780. His mother died at the beginning of the war of 1812. He was sent to Andover in youth to attend Phillips Academy and lived with a family named Lee on the Plato Eames estate. Boys who find fault with Club rations today, should hear of the diet of those early days. Thomas got through the English department but gave up a college education and decided to follow his decided bent for mechanics. A Mr. Bennett perhaps was foreman at the machine shop where he learned his trade. My grandfather Abbott had just married Hannah Russell of the Scotland district, and in 1800 they built the house occupied by the daughter of John B. Abbott and there, one evening, Daniel Foster, a neighbor invited our young friend Tom to a surprise party. He met Sally Russell, cousin of the hostess, and succumbed to the charm of the gay maid in short petticoat and bodice, took her safe home to the old Carter place at the next corner, and in 1806, a wedding was followed by a new home in Charlestown near the Monument, where Thomas had a brickyard in operation. Here Thomas Foster the eldest and Sally were born, and things looked well till the outbreak of the war of 1812, when all business fell flat. Mr. Loring and many others joined the army, and Mrs. Loring brought the children to Sunset Rock where a tenement, just the right size, sheltered many a small family in those long, hard times. There Mary Ann was born Sept. 25, 1813, the only child born in Andover. Her father's horse went through a decayed bridge and broke both his own and his rider's leg in such a way that Mr. Loring was unfitted for life, in a measure, for hard service. He spent long months in the hospital and possibly a story came back that he was dead in 1814, generally accepted by the New Hampshire relatives. He recovered and proved so handy that he was employed in the hospital for a long term and in New York became greatly interested in the new steamboat navigation then in the age of experiment. He returned hastily, got acquainted with his new daughter then nearly four years old, whom he had never seen, and the next thing was a move to New York, where a John Russell Loring was born about 1819. The times did not improve. Steamboats "busted up." They could get them down the Mississippi but they would not work back up stream. But people were "on the go" constantly over the Allegheny Hills and finally a friend of Thomas Loring's persuaded him that the chances were all West for them.

So they packed into the wagon with the tilt and took the lonesome road to the head waters of the Ohio. The way was rough and up the beds of creeks and many a mile did the gently nurtured Sally Russell climb the hills with her babe, camping where men were wanting. Rev. Timothy Flint, uncle of the late N. F. Flint, took this journey in 1815 for health and speaks of the droves of wretched looking hogs by the thousand and the unkempt men—Friday drovers—in their skin clothes and caps he met on the road. Rufus King's story of the building of Ohio (in our library) is an intensely interesting tale. The rest of the journey is down the river in flat boats. These

machines had 2 decks and 4 fireplaces of stone where 4 families could be accommodated and floated with the current, unless something happened. On the Mississippi they were fastened together in fleets. Bacon, corn meal, and potatoes were the staples and some game and fish, no canned food or crackers were known in those days and a pioneer's journey was apt to be a hungry one. At Cincinnati, the boat the Lorings took was late and froze in, so instead of going to settle at Natchez as a slaveholder, the father decided to stay in the new Yankee Free state—that winter at least. He roamed up the hill side and discovered an empty tenement back from the settlement and asked a man standing around, who owned this place. "I do," said the squatter "and I am so lonesome that you can have the place rent free for three months if you will only stay." There were then about 9000 people in Cincinnati (1819) but they were not all "our folks" and the man knew a good neighbor. All the furniture would have to be made and the family contrived all sorts of makeshifts at the start. One day the children found a barrel half full of flour in the attic left by a former tenant. The landlord donated it and the flour was promptly converted into a superior sort of starch or paste, gladly taken up by the neighbors from the enterprising young traders Tom and Sally, while Mary Ann and the mother arranged a barrel chair from the coveted barrel. The Shakers could spare a lot and taught Mr. Loring to make brooms, and he with son Tom carried these to New Orleans, also with the Shakers' brooms on commission, while Sally alternated between a Quaker private school and the broom business. She got a very fine business education. No Free school system came on in Ohio for long years—but these children learned just the same. In 1825, Lafayette visited the town and Mary Ann was with the children of Cincinnati who got Lafayette out of bed at daylight, and she shook hands with the friend of Washington. Most of Mr. Loring's journeys down river were on flat boats. In 1817, one steam boat began to make trips both ways and before 1825 he had helped put the machinery into the first "real regular steamboat" built at Cincinnati to go down river. He died at New Orleans in December 1826 of yellow fever, when the 2nd John Russell Loring we all knew here was a babe. The first one died after he got to Ohio.

C. H. A.

(To be concluded)

Letter to Edwin L. Perley.

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The famous race track is a scene of animation and enthusiasm, here are the millionaire followers of the race tracks, the pick of the country, the fastest of horses and always intense interest. Here one can view a typical American race track scene, and the greatest sport in the country with a first-class paragon. At this particular season of the year, Saratoga is alone, she distances all rivals and has enjoyment galore. Saratoga can be reached from Boston, via the Boston & Maine railroad, and runs through cars from Boston via the Fitchburg division.



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THE GUEST THAT IS LIKED.

Do not stay too long. Oftentimes a guest is urged to prolong her stay but the wise one will take her departure when the time is up. You will then be invited to "come again," with more true sincerity.

Conform absolutely to the rules of the household even though they may not be in accordance with your tastes and ideas.

Do not delay any meals. Rise and retire at the convenience of your hostess.

Be ready in time for drives, excursions. Do not keep the party waiting.

It is a good thing to carry all the necessary toilet requisites; these may be overlooked by your hostess.

Be sure to include a clothesbrush. For some unknown reason the necessity is often missing.

Enter heartily in the plans for your entertainment. Do not assume a disappointed or neglected air when something is not an oasis of peculiar interest to you.

Be ready to suggest some little plans for a loss in suggesting any ideas. Make their entertaining as easy as possible. Turn about is only fair play in visiting as in everything else.

By offering to pay little incidental expenses, suggest, but never insist, that is very rude.

Take some kind of work with you. Don't sit idly with your hands in your lap.

The guest who prolongs her stay at the mere suggestion of her hostess—who never sleeps well who rises and retires at unearthly hours—who has a fastidious appetite—who dislikes children—who bores you with her troubles, pains, aches—who follows you from all room to room.

Who asks all sorts of personal questions—who insists upon knowing the family tree of all your neighbors. Who brightens up at your husband's or brother's appearance, who seems listless and tiresome when only the feminine part of the household are around.

Who asks who your dentist, doctor, dressmaker, milliner, tailor, hair-dresser, minister, masseuse, lawyer, decorator, green grocer and blackest enemy may be.

This person (both genders included), who suffers your soul to such torture as abroad in numbers, and the biggest summer bore of the universe.

CHUMS FROM CHILDHOOD TO WED.

Irvine Rummage and Joseph Bronnert, chums from childhood, are to marry twin sisters at a double wedding Aug. 29. After the wedding tour they will live in the same house.

Twenty years ago Rummage and Bronnert were companions in everything. They went through school together. When they grew to be men the subject of matrimony was discussed. The two declared that they would never be married unless it should be to girls who were chums, as they were, or sisters. Otherwise, no woman was to break the long and cordial relations that had existed between them.

Rummage went to the army when war was declared with Spain. Bronnert remained in Louisville and followed his trade as a photographer. Before parting the compact was renewed. One day as his regiment was passing through St. Louis, Rummage met Miss Amy Spillman, with whom he fell in love. Rummage wrote to Bronnert that he had a girl whom he desired to marry. He also wrote that Miss Spillman had a twin sister, Belle, and enclosed a letter introducing Bronnert to Miss Belle. From a western front Rummage corresponded with Miss Amy and from Louisville Bronnert wrote to Belle. Finally Rummage was transferred to Jefferson barracks. Bronnert went over to see him. They called on the twins and proposed and were accepted.

MARVELOUS CURE.

Lady Margaret Marshman, who is 67 year of age, was for four months ill with an affection of the throat, which the doctors pronounced cancer. The diagnosis was supported after analysis by a London specialist, the analysis being made at the laboratories of the Clinical Research Association. Lady Margaret became so bad that her throat nearly closed up, nourishment had to be artificially administered, and her death was expected in a week.

At this point a neighbor, the daughter of an old friend, Lady Mary Ross, recalled a story she had heard when a child that cancer could be relieved by an infusion made from violet leaves. It was not expected that this would cure, but only relieve the pain. Lady Anne Marshman, sister of the patient, obtained the recipe, and as a forlorn hope determined to try it.

This recipe was exceeding simple, and ran as follows: Take a handful of fresh green violet leaves and pour a pint of boiling water upon them, and let them stand twelve hours, until the water is discolored and green. Then strain off the liquid, dip a piece of lint into the infusion, of which a sufficient quantity must be warmed. Put on the wet lint hot wherever the malady is. Cover the lint with oil silk or thin mackintosh, and change it whenever dry or cold. The infusion should be fresh about every alternate day.

The effect was, in Lady Anne's words, "almost like a miracle." Relief was immediately obtained. A large, hard internal tumor disappeared in a week. All pain ceased and the cancerous growth in the tonsil disappeared in a fortnight.

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TO SUPREME BENCH.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 12.—President Roosevelt late yesterday afternoon announced that he had appointed the Hon. Oliver Wendell Holmes, chief justice of the supreme court of Massachusetts, to be associate justice of the United States Supreme Court, vice Justice Horace Gray, resigned.

The resignation of Justice Gray was due to ill health. He has had two strokes of apoplexy and his advanced age, 74 years, has told against his recovery with serious force. Realizing that he never again will be able to resume his duties, he decided a short time ago to tender his resignation to the President.

With the exception of Justice Harlan he served on the bench of the United States Supreme Court longer than any of his present colleagues. He was appointed an associate justice by President Arthur on Dec. 19, 1881, his services extending thereafter through a period of 21 years.

ANDOVER CHURCHES.

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SUNDAY, AUG. 17
10.30 A.M. Morning Worship with sermon by Rev. William E. Wolcott of Lawrence.
6.30 P.M. Y.P.S.C.E.
7.30 P.M. Evening worship with sermon by the pastor.
Tuesday evening, lawn party at 20 Abbot street.
Wednesday, 7.45 P.M., mid-week meeting.
Tomorrow, (Saturday) 3.00 P.M., bicycle ride to Flagget's Pond.

West Parish Congregational Church—Organized 1896.
Rev. G.A. Andrews, Pastor.

SUNDAY, AUG. 17
10.30 A.M. Preaching by the Pastor.
7.00 P.M. Y.P.S.C.E. meeting.
Wednesday, 7.45 P.M. church prayer meeting.

Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street
Organized 1855. Rev. Frederic Palmer, Rector.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, AUG. 17

Free Church, Congregational, Railroad St.
Organized 1846. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson, Pastor.
SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, AUG. 17
10.30 A.M. Preaching Services as usual.
Wednesday, 7.45 P.M. Prayer and Conference Meeting.

Baptist Church, cor. of Essex and Central Sts., Organized 1832. Rev. A. T. Belknap, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, AUG. 17
10.30 A.M. Preaching by Prof. Ryder.
Sunday School to follow morning services.
6.15 P.M. C.E. meeting.
7.15 P.M. Preaching by Mr. H. Sanford of Lawrence.

Wednesday, 7.45 P.M. prayer meeting.
Andover C.E. Union Picnic at Old Lake, Aug. 23.

St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic, Essex St. Organized 1850. Rev. Fr. O'Mahoney, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, AUG. 17
8.30 A.M. Mass and instruction, Sunday School following.
10.30 A.M. High Mass and sermon.
8.30 P.M. Vespers.
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North Andover News.

Frank Goodhue lost a fine heifer last week.

Miss Lizzie Anderson of Glenville street has returned from a visit in Boston.

The sewer on Clarendon street is progressing rapidly and is over half completed.

Mrs. Fannie Hurley of Boston is visiting at the residence of Frank A. Coar on First street.

Mrs. John F. Bennett of Elm street is spending two weeks visiting with friends in Beverly.

Miss Lola Murphy of Boston has returned to her home after a number of days' visit in town.

Judson Reynolds is putting his cider-mill in repair in preparation for the fall production of cider.

Miss Jennie Wilson of Providence, R. I., is a guest at the residence of John F. Bennett on Elm street.

Fred Howes of Main street has accepted a position in the spindle room at the Davis & Furber machine shop.

Hurdy and Cole of Andover have completed a fine new barn for Loring N. Farnum in the Farnum district.

George Matheson has returned to his home on Water street after a week spent at his old home at Dennisville, Me.

James McEvoy has purchased the property of Mrs. Mary Quenley on Maple avenue, at the corner of Second street.

James Toohey of Sanborn and Robinson's hardware store, Lawrence, has returned from a week's sojourn at Salisbury beach.

The double house owned by Frank M. Greenwood on High street, occupied by the families of Luther S. Ellis and Harry White, is being repainted.

Mrs. George Haskell has returned to her home in Rosindale after a number of weeks' visit at the residence of Miss Kate Johnson on Osgood street.

Mrs. John A. Bedell and daughter, Helen, and son, Edward, of High street, left this morning for North Berwick, Me., where they will make a three weeks' visit.

The Misses Millie and Lottie Drey of Maple avenue visited in North Reading, Friday, where they were the guests of Miss Alice Gould, formerly of this town, living at the Meadow Brook farm.

Work has been recommenced upon the vault at the selectmen's town office on Main street. The iron work and safety vault comes from the Morris-Ireland Safe Co., 64 Sudbury street, Boston.

There is a collection of photographic views of the Cathedral city, York, England, on exhibition at the public library. The collection comes from the Literary Art club of Boston, and will remain for three weeks.

The subject of the Epworth League and Christian Endeavor meetings for Sunday evening will be "A Suggestion in Addition," 2 Pet. 1:4-9. The leader of the former will be Miss Clara Hayes. Mrs. William Halliday will lead the latter.

Mrs. Hattie Perley of Beverly, who has been making a visit at the residence of Motorman John Roberts on Sargent street, has gone to Haverhill.

Miss Mabel Coan and Miss Mary Geaney of Brightwood Mt. Co.'s office left Friday for Old Orchard beach, Me., where they will spend their vacation.

A brisk burning fire was discovered early Friday evening in the cellar at Mrs. Ellen Morrissey's boarding house on Main street. The fire was in a pile of packing cases and other rubbish and the cause is unknown. It was discovered just in time by one of the boarders and was quickly put out by pails of water.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth R. Emmons was held Saturday afternoon from Grace church, Lawrence, at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. W. Moulton officiated. Many mourning relatives and friends were in attendance from town.

The following party got into camp today at Lake Cochichewick. They will occupy the cottage of Joseph Battelle. The party is Rev. H. Usher Munro, Claxton Munro, Stormont Joselyn, Leon Hamlin, Lawrence Carey and Lawrence Knowles.

Considerable excitement existed at the Davis and Furber foundry, Monday afternoon when fourteen workmen in the scotch room went out on strike. Their demand was for a ten cent raise per day. Their demands were refused and they were allowed to quit work and go home. This morning a new gang was put to work and everything is running smoothly.

North Andover is to have a graduate dentist, with parlors in town. Dr. Shattuck of Ballardvale, is to start in the dentist business, as soon as he can fit up his parlors. He has secured rooms from Newton P. Frye in the Post Office building for that purpose.

Dr. Shattuck is a young man of much ability as a dentist, being a graduate of the Boston Dental college. There is no doubt that the townspeople will largely patronize their new business venture.

Miss Mabel S. Robinson entertained her Sunday school class of the Congregational Sunday school at her home on Osgood street, Friday evening. The evening was pleasantly passed with appropriate games, music by different members of the class and Miss Robinson. Refreshments were served and a most social evening was passed.

Those present were Miss Isabel Reynolds, Miss Alice Weston, Miss Ida Christenson, Miss Fannie Graham, Miss Rachael Barrington, Miss Gertrude Farlan and Miss Robinson.

At the meeting of the Veteran Firemen's association on Thursday evening, it was voted to hold an outing at Foss' grove, Lake Cochichewick, on Saturday, Aug. 16th. Transportation to the grove for the veterans and their friends will be furnished. A fine time is contemplated. The committee in charge is Frank Coan, William Somerville, Henry R. Smith, Joseph Duchesney, George Brewster and John Frye. Capt. Charles Dame, William Stewart and Edward Costello, were admitted. The association is now in a flourishing condition, new members being admitted at each meeting. It was also voted to have a field day on Saturday, the last of October. There is to be sports and other arrangements will be made for a grand time. There will also be a parade. It was voted to attend the Lawrence muster in full uniform.

An Andover Woman Asks "have you a floor paint that will last two weeks?" Yes we have Devco's; it has a beautiful gloss and will wear two years if properly applied.

E. M. & W. A. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chadwick have returned from their bridal tour.

Arthur Keefe of Water street passed Saturday and Sunday in Boston.

Officer John Shearer of Beverly street was in South Chelmsford on Sunday.

Miss Katherine Donnelly of Sutton street is visiting in Lynn for two weeks.

Charles Woodcock of Providence, R. I., visited with friends in town on Saturday.

The residence of James Brown on Pelham street is receiving a new coat of paint.

John Daley, Charles Parrell and Thomas Spence were in Boston on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Howes and Miss Maudie Howes passed Sunday at Hampton beach.

Master Mason Kent of High street is visiting at the residence of John A. Wilby in Boxford.

The Pastime club enjoyed an outing Sunday. They went on a fishing trip out of East Boston.

Miss Katherine Regan of Merrimack street was at home Saturday. She is summing at Winthrop.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brodie of Court street passed Sunday at Hampton beach and Salisbury beach.

Edward Bridges has arrived at his home on Maple avenue after a business trip through the eastern part of Maine.

Miss Mary Stone of Sutton street left Saturday for York beach, Me., where she will spend a month's vacation.

Miss Sadie Roakes of Second street left Saturday for East Hampton, N. H., where she will spend a week with relatives.

J. B. Marston of Prescott street and Hans Christensen of Maple avenue spent Saturday and Sunday in Biddeford Pool.

Clarence I. Smith of Marblehead street has accepted a position in the office of the Davis & Furber machine company.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wilcox and daughter, Miss Ella, are visiting at the residence of Frank Tisdale on Stonington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Somerville and daughter of Stamford, Conn., are visiting at the residence of John Somerville on Pleasant street.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Murphy and Miss Lena Dushan and Edward Dushan of Main street spent Sunday at Hampton and Salisbury beaches.

Thomas Murphy has returned to his home in Boston after spending a few days at the residence of his brother, Patrick Murphy, on Main street.

Master Charles Shearer of Beverly street, son of Officer John Shearer, is spending the remainder of his vacation with relatives in South Chelmsford.

Miss Mary Brodie and Miss Katherine Brodie of Court street are visiting in Littleton, N. H., where they will spend three weeks among relatives and friends.

Miss Effie M. Carter has returned to her home on Maple Avenue after spending two weeks with a party of young ladies at the Bay View cottage at York beach.

Miss Emily Boynes of Sutton street and John Haggis of Lawrence left Saturday for Providence, R. I., where they will spend a number of weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Powers and family returned to their home in Jamaica Plain after a pleasant visit at the residence of Martin J. Miller on High street.

Information regarding the money found, reported in last night's Telegram may be gained from Leslie Brown residing on Maple Avenue corner of Second street.

The members of the Eben-Suttons enjoyed a pleasant outing at Echo street, Lake Cochichewick, on Sunday. Friends from Lawrence and Boston were entertained.

Chester Johnson was at his home on High street Saturday and Sunday. He has resigned his position in Manchester, N. H., to accept a more lucrative position in Salem.

Last Friday the first car for the convenience of the employees went over the route from Middleton square to Boston Hill farm to the Middleton and Danvers street railway.

Rev. Fr. Whelan of St. Patrick's church, Lawrence, officiated at St. Michael's church on Sunday, during the absence of Rev. Fr. James Gilday, who is away on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hinckman and Miss Addie Hinckman of Danvers arrived Saturday and Sunday at Danvers on Saturday, where they passed the day and Sunday with relatives.

George Moulton of Boston a former resident and will be remembered as an assistant at the public library for a long time, is visiting in town at the residence of Officer Calvin M. Sanborn.

Miss Mary Keefe, Miss Alice Keefe, and Miss Jennie Keefe of Maple avenue, and Miss Margaret Campbell of Ashland street who have been sojourning at Old Orchard beach Maine for the last week have returned home.

The North Andovers played a Combination team on Grogan's grounds, Saturday afternoon and came out victorious by a score of 9 to 4. The feature of the game was a home run by Richard Lloyd in the sixth inning.

The heavy rain fall during Monday's storm caused considerable damage at different points about town. The streets in places were gouged out badly which will necessitate much filling in. The rush of water washed sand and gravel over the street railway tracks, nearly stalling the electric cars.

The Metropal club of Lowell are occupying the Hemlock grove cottage at Lake Cochichewick for the next two weeks. The party consists of James J. Gray, Andrew A. Gray, James F. McCarty, J. F. Murphy, George Andrews, William Moulton, George Sanderson, M. Driscoll and Samuel Flynn.

At the meeting of the Grange on next Tuesday evening there will be a summer party which is something new in the line of entertainment contrived by the members of the committee in charge. Dancing will be enjoyed and a general good time is assured. All grangers should be present.

The preparations for the St. Paul's Sunday school picnic have nearly been completed. The train will start from the Machine shop station at 9 o'clock. On the return it will leave the grove at Canobie lake at 7 o'clock. Dancing will be enjoyed. The American orchestra has been engaged to furnish music. The usual sports for the boys and girls will be held. There will be seven boats for the use of those at the picnic. But the rule that no young people will be allowed upon the water without a competent escort will be strictly adhered to.

The attraction at Glen Forest this week is The Empire Specialty Co.

S. L. Thompson of Boston visited in town recently among friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbott Prescott of High street were at Salisbury beach on Sunday.

Henry Knowles of Third street spent Saturday and Sunday at Hampton beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wright of Sutton street visited with friends in town on Sunday.

Simoon Wrigley and son, Walter of Stonington street were at Revere beach on Sunday.

The Misses Etta and Lillian Phillips of High street, spent Sunday at Lake View, Lowell.

David Crockett and family of the Centre are spending the week at Salisbury beach.

Frank Foster of Lynn passed Sunday at the residence of Horace Foster on High street.

Henry Harmon of Lawrence is making repairs upon the slating of the Merrimack school.

James M. Craig and family have returned from a pleasant two weeks spent at Salisbury beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin O. Badger of Maple avenue were at York beach over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Murch and son Harold of Pleasant street are spending the week with relatives in Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jenkins of High street go to Salisbury beach next Saturday to stay a week.

The Veteran Firemen will enjoy an outing at Foss' grove on Lake Cochichewick next Saturday.

Walter Male of Water street is making a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Voluntown, Conn.

Master James Miller of Amesbury is spending a few days at the home of A. J. Wardrope on Odges street.

The Misses Lillian and Corretta Crowther of Barker court passed Saturday and Sunday visiting in Lynn.

Edward Donovan of Winchester is spending two weeks at the residence of Patrick P. Daw on Second street.

Miss Hannah and Miss Mary Curran of Water street passed the last three days visiting with friends in Winthrop.

The Eben Suttons held their regular meeting at the engine house on Tuesday evening. Only routine business was transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Buskirk of Stevens village leave next Tuesday on a visit to Berwick, Kings county, Nova Scotia.

The Misses Annie and Jenny Keavey of North River are at the residence of Patrick Hogan of Belmont street for a month's visit.

Miss Jennie Rextrow has returned to her home on Dudley street after a number of weeks' visit with relatives in New York.

John Bolton of Belmont street is enjoying a week's vacation which he is spending in different places. He was in Lowell Tuesday.

Mrs. Shabot and son Peter of Somerville are visiting at the residence of Napoleon Dufresne on Maine street on an indefinite visit.

Andrew Colquhoun of Lowell is making a visit at the residence of his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wardrope on Hodges street.

Mrs. Anna Robinson of Still River, Mass., is visiting with her sister Mrs. E. Coolidge Houghton at the Clarke farm in the river district.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanborn of East Water street have gone to No. Sharply Maine where they will make a two weeks visit among relatives.

Samuel Head and family of Lawrence have broken camp after a very pleasant four weeks of rustication at Wright's cottage on Lake Cochichewick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller have returned to their home in Amesbury after a short visit at the residence of Andrew J. Wardrope on Hodges street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer S. Lyman of Chelsea and John H. Little of Everett visited at the residence of James Little in Stevens village recently.

The Bradstreet colony of Pilgrim Fathers hold their regular meeting on next Monday evening when the regular election of officers will take place.

Joseph Burdett and family of Lawrence have moved into the tenement of Joseph Dufresne on Main street, recently vacated by Mr. Burdett. Mr. Burdett is a carpenter, employed at the Davis and Furber machine shop.

Mrs. Ellen E. Foster, a well known resident of this district, recently spent six months at Creston, Washington, where Harry Tracy, the outlaw, shot himself in the wheat field. Her oldest son, Wallace B. Foster, who graduated from the Johnson High school, in the class of '91, is a resident of Creston, where he has been living for a number of years. He is very prominently connected with the affairs of the town, being postmaster there. He also holds the office of W. M. in a well organized Masonic lodge which has been chartered in that town.

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Miss Blanche Durgin of Boston is a guest at the residence of Jane Anderson on Glenville street.

Miss Mary Little leaves next Tuesday on a three weeks' visit among relatives in Chelsea and Everett.

Albert Currier and Miss Ella Currier have returned from a two weeks sojourn at Wrentham, N. H.

James W. Leitch, the hardware dealer, has recently built a carriage shed in addition to his barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McQuestion of Stonington street passed Tuesday at Salisbury and Hampton beaches.

Arthur O. Gile of Main street was in Groveland and Bradford on Tuesday. He visited in Marblehead on Monday.

Mrs. Sarah Ellis has returned to the home of her son, Luther S. Ellis, on High street after a visit to Amesbury.

Robert L. Foster and Arthur G. Crowell spent today recently sojourning at Plum Island and Salisbury beach.

Thomas Morrissey of Main street is enjoying a number of weeks' vacation which he will spend in various places.

Miss Ethel Park of Greenwood will be a guest at the residence of William Bentley of Perry street for the next few weeks.

Mrs. Arthur Parker of Meadow Brook farm has returned home after a six weeks' visit in Scott Village, Nova Scotia.

A retaining wall is being constructed in the rear of the Brightwood company's mill, on the banks of the Shaw-shen river.

Chester Woodbury of Salem, N. H., an attendant at the